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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Andreas Meiser et al.

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For : DEVICE AND METHOD FOR

ESTABLISHING AN ARTIFICIAL ISOLATED CIRCULATION IN A

TARGET AREA OF A HUMAN

OR ANIMAL BODY

Examiner : Philip R. Wiest

Group Art Unit : 3761

## RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

## Mail Stop Amendment

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

## Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed November 27, 2006, the Applicant respectfully requests amendment of the subject application as indicated by this paper and reconsideration in view of the amendments and remarks made by this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.